



BMJ in the News is a weekly digest of journal stories, plus any other news about the company that has appeared in the national and a selection of English-speaking international media.

#### Latest highlights (29 Oct - 4 Nov):

- In company news, **BMJ's investment in Patchwork** was covered by InPublishing and various medical tech outlets.
- A **BMJ Open Diabetes Research & Care** study on a vegan diet and the benefits for those with type 2 diabetes generated global coverage including *Malay Mail*, *The Independent* and *INSIDER*
- **The BMJ** study on the impact on babies' health in delaying fatherhood was covered widely, including *Malay Mail*, *The Independent* and *The Guardian*.
- A study in **Gut** on the link of antibiotics and antacids with obesity risk in children made global headlines, including *Daily Telegraph*, *NDTV* and *The Australian*.

#### **BMJ**

[Top UK health bodies demand new clean air act](#) MSN UK 29/10/2018

**Also in:** Women's Views on News

[Butter nonsense: the rise of the cholesterol deniers](#) [Fiona Godlee quoted] The Guardian 30/10/2018

**Also in:** Yerepouni Daily News

[D2L EXTENDS ENTERPRISE CUSTOMER BASE ACROSS EMEA](#) TMCnet [BMJ mentioned as one of the new Brightspace customers] + wide coverage in local US print 30/10/18

[Role of Evidence-Based Medicine in improving quality of healthcare](#) ET Healthworld 30/10/18

[BMJ invests in health tech startup](#) InPublishing 02/11/2018

**Also in:** Yahoo Finance, CEO CA (Mobile Investment Conference), Wall Street Online, Investor Point, TMCnet (Technology Marketing Corporation), Ulitzer, One News Page, MedicineMan, Newstage, PharmaBoardroom, PC Tech Online, PR Newswire

[The Macmillan Geriatric Oncology Liaison Development Team \(GOLD\) shortlisted for Excellence award](#) South London Press & Mercury 02/11/2018

**Also in:** Medical Health News

#### **The BMJ**

#### **Research: Infants of older fathers are more likely to be less healthy at birth**

[Delaying fatherhood can impact children's health at birth, finds study](#) Malay Mail 01/11/2018

[Babies born to older fathers are less likely to be healthy at birth, major study suggests](#) The Independent 01/11/2018

[Babies born to older fathers 'tend to have more medical issues'](#) The Guardian 01/11/2018

**Also covered by:** The Times, The Irish Times, Daily Mail, The Daily Telegraph, NEJM Journal Watch, The Conversation, MENAFN.com, MSN UK, MyHeadlinez, Evening Express, Bioportfolio, RTE, Free Malaysia Today, Yahoo Singapore, Yahoo India, Irish News, LongRoom, Irish Examiner, BT.com, Medical Xpress, AOL, Yahoo UK, Express & Star, TIME, Telegraph and Argus, ITV, Scope, Stanford Medicine, The Ethio Sun, The Senior, Newsline, Asia Pacific Daily, The World News, BioPortfolio, Business Standard, News Pronto, Outlook India, The HuffPost Canada, Newsline, Medical Dialogues, Healing Well, India4u, Earth, NHS Choices, The Pioneer, Everyday Health, Doctors Lounge, Business Australia, The Siasat Daily, Indian Bloom, Health on the Net, Drugs.com, Science Daily, Essential Baby, The National, Blogarama, NewKerala.com, Daily World, Tasnim News, Hindustan Times, Safrica 24, TimesLive, News-Medical.net, CanIndia News, ZME Science, IOL South Africa, Times of News (Iran), Iran Daily, EconoTimes,  
+ widely covered in local UK newspapers and extensive coverage by local US radio outlets

**Other coverage for The BMJ:**

[Eating cottage cheese before bed could help you lose weight](#) Yahoo UK News 29/10/2018

*Further coverage on the link between blood pressure tablets and lung cancer*

[A Common Blood Pressure Drug Has Been Linked To Lung Cancer - Here's What You Should Know](#) IFL Science! 29/10/2018

Also in: R&D Magazine, BioPortfolio, MedShadow, Topix, CBC, Doctors Lounge, Switzer Daily, The Cardiology Advisor, MedIndia, Life Health Professional, Renal and Neurology News, People's Pharmacy, MedShadow

*Continued coverage for the healthy lifestyle and reduced risk of stroke*

[Independent Links for Genetics, Lifestyle With Incident Stroke](#) 29/10/2018

**Also in:** The Senior, Life Extension Magazine, The Clinical Advisor, Bioportfolio, Neurology Advisor

*Further coverage on oxygen therapy for patients*

[Routine use of oxygen may even harm Patients](#) Medical Dialogues 29/10/2018

[Clinical Practice Guideline for Oxygen Therapy in Hospitalized Patients Published](#) The Cardiology Advisor 29/10/2018

*Continued coverage of preeclampsia and the risk of dementia*

[Preeclampsia Tied to Increased Risk for Vascular Dementia](#) Neurology Advisor 29/10/2018

**Also in:** Today's Geriatric Medicine, MD Alert, Reuters, Channel News Asia, Business Insider, Psych Congress Network, Neurology Advisor

+ covered by numerous local US radio stations

[Gaza's drinking water spurs blue baby syndrome, serious illnesses](#) Medical Health News 29/10/2018

**Also in:** Malaysia Updates, Times of News, Aljazeera.com

[WARNING: Dangerous Flu Shots Being Given to Children Without Parental Consent](#) Health Impact News 29/10/2018

[Why You Should Have A Dry Month Before The Festivities](#) SAfrica 24 29/10/2018

**Also in:** IOL South Africa, MSN South Africa

[It's time for the UK to rethink its approach to medical cannabis](#) Health Europa 29/10/2018

[Not so crystal clear: The EU's clinical reporting problem](#) Pharmafile 29/10/2018

[Eye doctors find that WebMD symptom checker was wrong more than half the time](#)

[ARSTECHNICA](#) Tech Fish News 31/10/2018

**Also in:** Ars Technica, My HeadlineZ, Medical Health News

[Why giving over 60s judo lessons could keep them out of hospital](#) Express Digest  
31/10/2018

[ARE SCARY MOVIES BAD FOR YOU?](#) Impact Magazine 30/10/2018

[Johns Hopkins Confines Owls to a Basement Laboratory: Take Action Now!](#) Newsline  
30/10/2018

[Don't go looking for reasons not to get a flu shot: It works](#) Canadian HRreporter 30/10/2018

[New shingles vaccine proves effective at curbing the infection](#) Health Care Asia 30/10/2018

[Don't give decongestants to children for colds, experts say](#) Japan Today 31/10/2018

[Genetics, Not Diet, Seen as A Major Factor in Gout](#) ThirdAGE 30/10/2018

[Making clinical trials more transparent in the Americas](#) Pharmaceutical technology  
30/10/2018

[Flying Doctors Founder Pens Book on Healthcare Improvement](#) This Day 1/11/2018

[McDonald's Monopoly: A statistician explains the real odds of winning](#) The Conversation  
01/11/2018

**Also in:** EconoTimes

[25 Ways to Get Healthier in One Minute](#) MSN 01/11/2018

[Drug combination for treatment-resistant depression not more effective than a single antidepressant](#) Medical Xpress 01/11/2018

**Also in:** My HeadlineZ, Scienmag, R&D Magazine, Health Medicine Network, Health News, BioEngineer, Topix, Medical Dialogues, ScienceDaily

['Don't be taken in by anti-vaccine myths on social media': England's top doctor insists MMR jabs save millions of lives](#) Daily Mail 01/11/2018

**Also in:** Express Digest

[Marketing in the age of addictions](#) The Hindu Business Line 01/11/2018

[Q-and-A with researcher on fantasy video game to help Inuit youth build resilience](#) Y File  
01/11/2018

[Nursing students, experts weigh in on Question 1](#) The Huntingdon News 02/11/2018

[Do High-Cholesterol Foods Raise Your Cholesterol?](#) The New York Times 02/11/2018

[Clinical trials data: lack of transparency brings health risk, say MPs](#) Out-Law.com 02/11/2018

['Doctors are not d\\*\\*\\*heads': Two medics hit back at controversial Twitter hashtag that saw dozens of patients retell their horror tales](#) Daily Mail 02/11/2018

**Also in:** Express Digest, Health Medici Net

[Costa Coffee stores BAN under 16s from buying caffeinated drinks](#) Daily Mail 02/11/2018

**Also in:** Express Digest, Health Medici Net

[Unpublished medical research 'a threat to public health'](#) Sign of the Times 02/11/2018

[Wellbeing: Can turmeric help fight cancer?](#) BeautyBible.com 03/11/2018

[Dr. Uffe Ravnskov reviews: Cholesterol is human's best friend](#) Daily Press 03/11/2018

+ covered by numerous local US news outlets

[Chris Cornell's Family Files Lawsuit for "Dangerous, Mind-Altering" Prescription Drugs that Led to Suicide](#) Before it's News 03/11/2018

## **JOURNALS**

### **BMJ Open Diabetes Research & Care**

**Research:** [Plant based or vegan diet may be best for keeping type 2 diabetes in check](#)

[Plant-based diets are most effective for controlling type 2 diabetes](#) Malay Mail 31/10/2018  
[WHY A VEGAN DIET COULD BE THE KEY TO MANAGING OBESITY AND DIABETES](#)

The Independent 31/10/2018

[A plant-based vegan diet could help people with type 2 diabetes manage weight and blood sugar levels, according to a new study](#) INSIDER 31/10/18

#### **Also covered by:**

*UK + Ireland*

Daily Mail + Scottish Daily Mail, Daily Telegraph, The Times + Times Scotland, Daily Mirror, Daily Star, Daily Express, Metro, HuffPost UK, London Economic, Irish Independent, The Irish News, Breaking News.ie, MSN UK + Ireland, Belfast Telegraph, Yahoo UK, AOL UK, NHS Choices, The London Economic, Irish Examiner, Aberdeen Evening Express, Daily Post (Wales), UK News Desk, BT.com, The Spectator, Jersey Evening Post + widely covered by local UK newspapers, The Week,

*International*

SBS Australia, Business Insider Australia, 9Honey, Body and Soul, Yahoo NZ & Australia, NZ City, Siasat Daily, The Australian, MedIndia, Times Now, Today.com, Indian Express, NDTV, Doctor NDTV, India TV News, Hindustan Times, The Indian Express, The Tribune, The Hans India, Indileak, Devdiscourse, The Statesman (India), Independent Online South Africa, Inquirer Lifestyle, UPI, Infosurhoy, Latest Nigerian News, Gulf Times, Ahmedabad Mirror, Mathrubhumi (UAE), Health24 South Africa, The Herald Sun

+ widely covered by local US broadcast

### *Other*

Doctors Lounge, Express Digest, Medical News Today, HealthDay, Medscape, Drugs.com, TalkTalk, HealingWell.com, Follow News, WebMD, Health24, ZME Science, HealthCast, Diabetes.co.uk, Health Medicine net, Plant Based News, Nursing Times, OnMedica, Monthly Prescribing Reference, BioPortfolio, Medical Xpress, Foreign Affairs, Health On the Net, TheHealthSite, Business Standard, Financial Express, Breaking News, Topix, Elite Daily, World First Travel insurance, Chronicle Live, Good Cookery, Mondo News, Newsmax, LatestLY, Yahoo Lifestyle, Vox, LiveKindly, Agribusiness Intelligence, Topix, ScienceDaily, Diabetes in Control,

[Diabetes Injection Pen Market 2018 Advancements in Technology Key players are focused on Novo Nordisk A/S, AstraZeneca Plc, Biocon Ltd, Eli Lilly and Company, Becton, Dickinson and Company, and Jiangsu Delfu Co.](#) Open PR 29/10/2018

### **BMJ Supportive and Palliative Care**

**Research:** [Rose geranium oil may ease common painful nasal symptoms linked to cancer treatment](#)

[Rose geranium oil helps tackle unpleasant nasal side effect of chemo](#) Nursing Times 31/10/2018

[Rose Geranium Oil May Help Ease Common Painful Nasal Symptoms](#) MedIndia 31/10/2018

**Also covered by:** My Headlinez, Follow News, Newswise, Medical Xpress, Medical Health News, Health News Digest, Science Daily, eCancer, Topix

### **Gut**

**Research:** [Antibiotic and acid-suppression medications during early childhood are associated with obesity](#)

[Antibiotics may cause obesity in young children, new study finds](#) Daily Telegraph 31/10/18  
[Antacids, Antibiotics May Up Obesity Risk In Children: Foods To Manage Obesity](#) NDTV 01/11/18

[Antibiotics link to fat toddlers, study suggests](#) The Australian 31/10/18 (link unavailable)

**Also covered by:** The Independent, The Sun, The Times, Daily Mail, HuffPost UK, Irish Independent, BT.com, Newswise, Medical Dialogues, Follow News, Medscape, Medical Xpress, Health News Digest, HealthDay, Pulse, Nursing Times, WebMD, Doctors Lounge, Science Daily, MedPage Today, Infection Control Today, OnMedica, Medical Research.com, Center for Infectious Disease Research & Policy, Beauty Undercover, UPI, KVOA Tucson News, Inquirer.net, Times NOW, Deccan Chronicle, The Pioneer (India), Newsd.in, Infosurhoy, Chronicle Live, Malay Mail, Free Malaysia Today, Yahoo Singapore News, Business Standard, Economic Times, Newsmax, Yahoo Lifestyle, EIN News, The Tribune

### **Annals of the Rheumatic Diseases**

[DMARD Response Compared After Failed Response to Methotrexate in Rheumatoid Arthritis](#) Medical Health News 31/10/2018

**Also in:** Rheumatology Advisor

## **Archives of Disease in Childhood**

[Baby 'sleep sacks' might be safer than blankets](#) Business Insider 29/10/2018

**Also in:** MD Alert, Physicians Weekly, Reuters, Reuters India, Channel NewsAsia My Times Now, The Asian Age, Deccan Chronicle, BBC World Service Health Check [radio], AARC Times, The Financial Chronicle, Gulf Times, Irish Independent, Independent.ie

+ wide coverage by US local broadcast

*Further coverage for milk and colds*

[It's NOT an old wives' tale! Scientists have finally proven that milk does make colds worse](#) Daily Mail 29/10/2018

[Milk does make colds worse, research finds](#) Daily Telegraph Australia 30/10/2018

**Also in:** Health Medicine Network, Scottish Daily Mail, Daily Mail Australia, Perth Now, Mondo News, Caribbean Broadcasting Corporation

[30 Healthy Tricks for Resetting Your Sleep During Daylight Saving Time](#) BestLife 30/10/18

## **BMJ Case Reports**

[Teen almost loses testicle in twisted medical emergency](#) New York Post 30/10/2018

[Boy, 16, almost loses a testicle after it TWISTS 260 degrees and its blood supply is cut off](#) Daily Mail 30/10/2018

**Also in:** WS Buzz, The Sun, The Scottish Sun, The Sun IE, Express Digest, The World News, The Mirror, Health Medicine Net

[Limited evidence planned fasting could help type II diabetics](#) Zenopa 30/10/2018

[5 Horror Stories Of How These Men Got Broken Penises](#) Men's Health 31/10/2018

## **BMJ Evidence-Based Medicine**

[Role of Evidence-Based Medicine in improving quality of healthcare](#) ET Healthworld 30/10/18

[Free Speech and Journals' Responsibility in Vaccine Debates](#) Medical Health News 01/11/2018

## **BMJ Global Health**

[Sexism cancelling out girls' inbuilt biological survival advantage, child mortality study suggests](#) The Independent 30/10/2018

[The gender inequality map of the world: Researchers warn the gap 'is driving the deaths of millions of girls under five across the planet'](#) Daily Mail 30/10/2018

**Also in:** Georgia News Day, Cosmos Magazine, Yahoo News UK, Yahoo New Zealand, Medical Xpress, Health Medicine.net, India Today, The Indian Express, India Today, The Tribune, Business Standard, Indian Catholic, Daily Mail (Australia), The Free Press, Science Daily, Global Citizen, expressdigest.com, My Times Now, Deccan Chronicle

## **BMJ Open**

*Further coverage for corporal punishment*

[Countries that ban spanking have kids who are less likely to be violent](#) USA Today 29/10/2018



**Also in:** CBS8 San Diego, WSBK-TV, extensive US local print + broadcast outlets

[Third to half of population lives with chronic pain Proportion likely to rise as population ages; major cause of disability and distress](#) Patient Talk 30/10/2018

[Research: Health apps can assist with weight loss](#) Medical Health News 29/10/2018

[Caesarean sections: 'Too posh to push' or 'too poor to choose'](#) The Irish Times 29/10/2018

[Age and health conditions prevent over-50s from returning to work](#) Medical Xpress 30/10/2018

[What Are Processed Foods and Are They Really That Bad to Eat?](#) NY Metro Parents 30/10/2018

### **BMJ Open Sport and Exercise Medicine**

[What is obesity and what causes it?](#) Medical News Today 02/11/2018

### **BMJ Quality & Safety**

[Focus on patient experience to cut readmission rates](#) The Hospitalist 02/11/2018

### **BMJ Sexual & Reproductive Health**

[Will sex robots be the start of a dire future?](#) The Advertiser (Australia) 29/10/18 (link unavailable)

### **British Journal of Ophthalmology**

[Migraine-associated photophobia appears to improve after botulinum toxin A injections](#) MD Alert 30/10/2018

[Long-term mineralocorticoid receptor antagonists beneficial in chronic CSC](#) MedWire News 01/11/2018

**Also in:** Medical Health News

### **British Journal of Sports Medicine**

[HOW TO GAIN A COMPETITIVE EDGE IN SPORTS](#) Athleisure 29/10/2018

*Further coverage for golf and health*

[Playing golf is really good for you, study shows](#) Golf 365 29/10/2018

**Also in:** Sports24, ProGolf

[5 bedtime beverages that will help you lose weight](#) W24 South Africa 29/10/2018

**Also in:** Health Staff

[Ibuprofen and High Blood Pressure: A Dangerous Reaction!](#) The People's Pharmacy 29/10/2018

[How Iron Deficiency In Women Affects Sports Performance And General Well-being](#) IAFrica.com 30/10/2018

[Butter nonsense: the rise of the cholesterol deniers](#) The Guardian 30/10/2018

**Also in:** Yerepouni Daily News, MSN Ireland

[Transgender cyclist from B.C. wins world title, backlash ensues](#) Houston Today 30/10/2018 + widely covered by numerous local US newspapers

[Let's Talk About Mental Wellness: New Content Series Focuses on Mental Health in Athletes](#) Team USA 01/11/2018

[Scandinavian sports medicine congress with high impact](#) Medical Health News 02/11/2018

[Athletigen and Altis Seek to Turn DNA Insights Into Coaching Advice](#) SportTechie 30/10/2018

[51 Foods to Eat to Stay Young](#) Eat This, Not That! 03/11/2018

### **Journal of Epidemiology & Community Health**

[Can trusting others add years to your life? This study says yes](#) Sputnik International 30/10/18

[Revealed: how trust in others can help you live longer](#) New Zealand Herald 30/10/18

**Also in:** Phys.org, Science Daily, Study Finds, widespread local US broadcast, 9News, Men's Health

[The Effects of Trump's Anti-Immigrant Rhetoric Are Starting to Show in Preterm Birth Rates](#) Rewire.News 02/11/2018

[Study finds first born siblings are most likely to be overweight](#) RSVP Magazine 01/11/2018

### **Journal of NeuroInterventional Surgery**

[Retrograde CTO stenting](#) MedPage Today 01/11/18

### **Journal of Medical Ethics**

[True altruism mangled by abortion apologist](#) National Right to Life News 01/11/2018

[Pro-Abortion Professor: Babies Can be Killed Before and After Birth Because They're Not Fully Conscious](#) LifeNews.com 01/11/2018

**Also in:** Conservative Angle

[Canadian doctors grapple with how to approach assisted dying for young patients](#) CBC Radio One 04/11/2018

### **Journal of Medical Genetics**

[Immunotherapy Particularly Effective Against Aggressive Hereditary Melanoma, Study Reports](#) Immuno-Oncology News 31/10/2018

### **Journal of Neurology Neurosurgery & Psychiatry**

[Half of Women to Develop Stroke, Dementia, or Parkinsonism](#) Neurology Advisor 29/10/2018



[Dopamine to levodopa-carbidopa switch reduces impulse control disorders in PD](#)

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**Occupational & Environmental Medicine**

[The truth about whether masks and respirators protect us from Delhi's air pollution](#)

Hindustan Times 04/11/2018

[Women in their 60s move more than same-aged men, study finds](#) YLE (Finland)

**Open Heart**

[Ibuprofen and High Blood Pressure: A Dangerous Reaction!](#) The People's Pharmacy

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**RMD Open**

[Cardiovascular Disease Risk Screening Feasible During Routine Rheumatology Visits](#)

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**Tobacco Control**

[Tobacco industry accused of flavour capsule 'tricks' to lure young smokers](#) The Guardian

29/10/2018

[Big tobacco targets teens with 'disturbing' flavoured cigarettes](#) The News Daily

29/10/2018

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[Smoking device no safer than cigarettes](#) The Columbian 29/10/2018

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